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In re Application of:

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Docket No. 03500.014978.

TAKESHI YAMAWAKI ET AL.

Appln. No.: 09/729,279

Examiner: Susan Shuk Yin Lee

Filed: December 5, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2852

For: OPTICAL SCANNING APPARATUS, IMAGE  
FORMING APPARATUS, AND METHODS OF  
PERFORMING OPTICAL SCANNING USING  
OPTICAL SCANNING APPARATUS AND IMAGE  
FORMING APPARATUS

Date: March 9, 2004

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 107	MINUS	** 105	= 2	x \$9 \$18	\$36.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 4	MINUS	*** 4	= 0	x \$43 \$86	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290						\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$36.00

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- ☐ °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$36.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the Extension fee for response with a one-month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York Office by telephone at (212) 218-2100 or by facsimile at (212) 218-2200. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.



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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action of December 8, 2003, to and including April 8, 2004. A check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any deficiency in this fee, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

In response to that Office Action, please amend this application as follows.

The claim amendments are reflected in the listing that begins at page 2. The Remarks begin at page 14.

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